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During the night of 31 May 1951, about 400 German Volkspolizei, with ranks from VP Meister up to and including VP Rat, crossed the Oder River near Suedowswiese (O 53/V 57) on pontoons which were operated by Soviet soldiers. The police had arrived in Suedowswiese from the direction of Letschin (O 53/V 47) in the evening of 31 May, riding in trucks which were subsequently seen departing empty. *

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